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Applicant: B. Ryland Wiggs
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In Hvac Systems"
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RESPONSE AND AMENDMENT

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Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed September 5, 2003, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 8 of this paper.